

HR 1170

Child Medication Safety Act of 2003

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Policy Area: Education

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Rep. Case, Ed [D-HI-2]	D · HI		May 1, 2003
Rep. Millender-McDonald, Juanita [D-CA-37]	D · CA		May 6, 2003
Rep. Goodlatte, Bob [R-VA-6]	R · VA		May 19, 2003
Rep. Murphy, Tim [R-PA-18]	R · PA		May 21, 2003

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Discharged from	May 15, 2003
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	May 22, 2003

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Education

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
108 S 1390	Related bill	Jul 10, 2003: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Child Medication Safety Act of 2003 - (Sec. 2) Requires States, as a condition of receiving funds under any program or activity administered by the Secretary of Education, to develop and implement policies and procedures prohibiting school personnel from requiring a child, as a condition of attending school or receiving services, to obtain a prescription for a controlled substance in schedule II under the Controlled Substances Act. (Thus prohibits school personnel from coercing children to receive, or their parents to administer, psychotropic medication.) Provides that nothing in such requirement shall be construed to create a Federal prohibition against teachers and other school personnel consulting or sharing classroom-based observations with parents or guardians regarding a student's academic performance or behavior in the classroom or school, or regarding the need for evaluation for special education or related services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA).

(Sec. 4) Directs the Comptroller General to review and report on: (1) the variation among States in definitions of psychotropic medication as used in regard to State jurisdiction over public education; (2) the prescription rates of medications used in public schools to treat children diagnosed with attention deficit disorder, attention deficit hyperactivity disorder, and other disorders or illnesses; (3) which such medications are listed under the Controlled Substances Act (CSA); and (4) which such medications are not listed under CSA, including their properties and effects and whether they have been considered for CSA listing.

Actions Timeline

- **May 22, 2003:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
- **May 21, 2003:** Reported (Amended) by the Committee on Education and the Workforce. H. Rept. 108-121.
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- **May 21, 2003:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 62.
- **May 21, 2003:** Mr. Burns moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **May 21, 2003:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H4382-4387)
- **May 21, 2003:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 1170.
- **May 21, 2003:** At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- **May 21, 2003:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H4398)
- **May 21, 2003:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 425 - 1 (Roll no. 203).(text: CR H4382)
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- **May 21, 2003:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **May 21, 2003:** The title of the measure was amended. Agreed to without objection.
- **May 15, 2003:** Subcommittee on Education Reform Discharged.
- **May 15, 2003:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **May 15, 2003:** Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by Voice Vote.
- **May 6, 2003:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **Mar 24, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Education Reform.
- **Mar 12, 2003:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E432)
- **Mar 11, 2003:** Introduced in House
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- **Mar 11, 2003:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H1753)
- **Mar 11, 2003:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.